Meet Our Parks

Baraboo has several beautiful City Parks waiting for you to explore. Call or visit our website for more information.

	Attridge Park 900 2nd Avenue	Campbell Park 320 South Boulevard	City View Park Parkview Drive	Civic Center 124 2nd Street	Deppe Park Lake Street	Hackett Hollow Conservancy 512 14th St.	Kiwanis Park 109 Water Street	Langer Park 501 Remington Street	Lower Ochsner Park 820 2nd Avenue	Mary Hoppe Felts Park Madison Avenue	Mary Rountree Park 639 2nd Avenue	Maxwell-Potter Conservancy 702 Hill St.	Myron Park 450 South Boulevard	Nanny Park 5th Street & Oak Street	Ochsner Park 903 Park Street	Pierce Park 1100 Walnut Street	Ritzenthaler Park 12th Street	Riverwalk Adjacent to Baraboo River	Statz Park 227 1st Avenue	Steinhorst Park 1100 15th Street	Weber Park 333 Elm Street
Ball Field											X					X			X		
Basketball Court	X		X	X				X		X							X				X
Bike/Pedestrian Path			X				X		X		X	X			X			X	X		
Bird Watching	X		X		X	X			X		X	X			X			X			
Pet Exercise Area												X						X			
Fishing	X		X		X		X		X		X	X			X			X	X		
IceSkating								X								X					X
Playground	X	X	X					X		X		X		X	X	X	X		X	X	X
Restrooms		X	X	X				X			X	X			X	X			X	X	
Sand Volleyball	X									X											
Shelter		X	X		X		X	X		X	X	X			X	X	X		X	X	X
Skatepark		X																			
Sledding Hill																				X	
Soccer/Football Fields									X						X	X				X	
Swimming Pool		X																			
Tennis/Pickleball Courts		X																			
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- ♦ Park Hours are 7am-9pm. Dog Park hours are dusk to dawn. Zoo summer hours are 9:30am-6:30pm. It is unlawful for anyone to be in a park outside of these hours, except with written permission from the Parks and Recreation Director or when participating in a department-sponsored program.
- Pets are not allowed on park property unless on a path/trail with leash or in the Dog Park. No dogs are allowed in the arboretum including the path. It is the dog-handlers responsibility to clean up after their dogs.
- ♦ Glass containers, firearms or fireworks are not allowed on any park property.
- ♦ NO SMOKING or vaping in any City parks or facilities.
- ♦ **Fires** are only allowed in grills or fireplaces. You must provide your own firewood.
- Tents, volleyball, bounce houses or any types of stakes are not permitted on the grounds without prior approval.



What to know about Registration...

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Programs / Activities in this guide are not school sponsored. The Baraboo School District does not fund or endorse them in any way.

You have three Convenient Ways to Register:

1. Online

Our user friendly online registration system is available 24/7 to bring you a convenient registration experience. Simply visit our website at:

www.cityofbaraboo.com/parksandrecreation

In the middle of the page, choose the Green "Register for Recreation Programming" link. This will take you to our program registration site. Simply follow the instructions on the screen to log in with your username and password, if you are a returning customer or to set up your NEW family account. New accounts must be verified for residency status. Approvals done during our regular office hours! (M-F 7:30AM-4:30PM)

2. Mail-In/Drop Off

Simply choose the programs that your children are interested in, fill out the registration form located at the above website, enclose payment and drop off or mail to:

Baraboo Parks & Recreation Department Attn: Program Registrations 124 2nd Street, Room 17 Baraboo, WI 53913

Building hours are 7am-9pm Monday thru Friday. There is a drop slot located in the door to Room 17 at the Baraboo Civic Center.

3. In Person Registration

Stop in the office, prior to the listed registration deadline and we will be happy to register you at that time, if space is available. Office hours are Monday thru Friday 7:30am-4:30pm.

Financial Assistance Available

For City of Baraboo Residents - there is a limited amount of financial assistance available which provides a 50% fee reduction for many of our programs. Proof of eligibility in the Federal Free/Reduced lunch program is required and must be provided with your registration.

Does not apply to Pool Passes / Programming!

ACCEPTED FORMS OF PAYMENT

We currently accept these forms of payment:

Cash for in office registrations

Checks payable to: *City of Baraboo* for mail-in & drop-off registrations.







Debit/Credit Cards online or in office payments (except Discount Attraction Tickets)

WHY RESIDENT/NON-RESIDENT

The Baraboo Parks & Recreation Department is supported with tax dollars paid by residents of the City of Baraboo, in addition to sponsorships and individual participation fees.

Those who reside in the Baraboo School District but outside the Baraboo City Limits are invited to participate, but are required to pay a slightly higher fee.

A non-resident is anyone who does not reside within the Baraboo City Limits.

Residency is based on your primary residence.

Baraboo Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department 2022 WPRA Discount Tickets

Tickets Sales - 7:30am-4:30pm weekdays only
Mid-May thru September 2nd
at the Baraboo Civic Center, 124 2nd Street – Room 17
608-355-2760

WE ACCEPT CASH, PERSONAL CHECKS OR TRAVELER'S CHECKS ONLY, NO CREDIT CARDS!

- ♦ Tickets are available to anyone but must be picked up in person only. No phone or mail orders.
- ♦ Prices are subject to change due to circumstances beyond our control.
- ♦ No other offer, discount or promotion may be used in conjunction with these tickets.
- ♦ There are no refunds for unused tickets All attractions have individual expiration dates.
- If you have any questions regarding the ticket program, please ask them prior to buying any tickets.

Attraction Name	Ages	Gate Price	Discount Price	You Save
Noah's Ark -	Adult	\$39.99	\$29.00	\$10.99
(Children under 36" Free)	Under 48"	\$29.99	\$29.00	\$.99
Mt. Olympus Outdoor Water & Theme Park (2 & Under Free)	All Ages	\$34.99	\$10.00	\$24.99
The Land of Natura -Natural Adventure & Waterpark	Adult	\$39.99	\$32.00	\$7.99
(4 & Under Free)	Age 4-11	\$29.99	\$24.00	\$5.99
Upper Dells Boat Tour	Adult	\$34.16	\$29.50	\$4.66
(3 & Under Free)	Age 4-11	\$17.08	\$16.50	\$.58
Jet Boat Adventure	Adult	\$32.02	\$29.50	\$4.66
(Children 3 & Under NOT allowed)	Ages 4-11	\$16.01	\$16.50	\$.58
Wisconsin Ducks Tour	Adult	\$32.02	\$29.50	\$4.66
(3 & Under Free)	Age 4-11	\$16.01	\$16.50	\$.58
Milwaukee County Zoo -	Adult	\$16.75	\$12.25	\$4.50
(2 & Under Free)	Age 3-12	\$13.75	\$10.25	\$3.50
Pirates Cove Adventure Golf (4 & Under Free)	1 Price	\$10.00	\$ 6.75	\$3.25



Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department

The City of Baraboo Parks, Recreation and Forestry Department is a proud member of the Wisconsin Park and Recreation Association.

Our Affiliation with the WPRA enables us to offer these discounted tickets.



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There's room for you at Baraboo Parks & Rec

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

- Recreation Program Helper
 - Adopt a Park
 - Zoo Volunteer
 - ◆ Special Event Helper
 - Program Prep
 - & Much More

Volunteers must complete an application, available at the Parks & Recreation office. After successful completion of a background check, you will be contacted with position details.

PART TIME EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Pool Attendant Lifeguard Head Lifeguard Pool Manager Program Coordinator Program Instructor Umpire Referee Scorekeeper - adult leagues Parks Maintenance Seasonal

To apply, visit

https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/baraboowi

and complete your application.

All applications must be submitted at this website.

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SPRING SOCCER

FIRST GOAL SOCCER

This is an introductory soccer program for preschool ages. Players will learn the basics of soccer by playing fun games and activities. Each player is asked to have a "soccer buddy" that can help with some of the activities. The buddy can be a parent, guardian, grandparent, or older sibling.

Fees: Resident \$25 Non-Resident \$35

Ages: Preschool Where: Langer Park

Session 3: Mondays, May 1-22 4:30-5:00pm

Register by: April 27th

LITTLE KICKERS SESSION 2

This soccer program focuses on the fundamentals of the game and having fun. Participants will take part in drills, activities, and games to help them learn the

Fees: Resident \$25.00 Non-Resident \$35.00

Ages: Kindergarten Location: Langer Park

Dates: May 4-25, Thursdays, 4:30-5:15pm

Register By: May 1st

GRADE 1

This program includes a combination of soccer fundamentals & skill development mixed with controlled scrimmages. There will be a mixture of practice and match play set-up to accommodate the various levels of soccer ability & experience.

Fees: Resident \$35.00 Non-Resident \$45.00

Ages: 1st Grade

Program Location: Langer Park

Program Meets: Mondays & Wednesdays

Dates: May 8-31 *No meeting on May 29 Time: 5:30-6:30pm Register By: May 1st

GRADE 2 & 3

This program includes a combination of soccer fundamentals & skill development mixed with controlled scrimmages. There will be a mixture of practice and match play set-up to accommodate the various levels of soccer ability & experience.

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Fees: Resident \$35 Non-Resident \$45

Ages: 2nd & 3rd Grade

Program Location: Langer Park
Program Meets: Tuesdays & Thursdays

Dates: May 9-30 Time: 5:30-6:30pm Register By: May 1st

SPRING MIDDLE SCHOOL TENNIS

Join Coach Gwen Finnegan in this instructional program for both beginning and experienced boys and girls. Players will learn new skills as well as brush up on fundamentals of this lifelong sport.

Fees: Residents \$40.00 Non-Residents:\$50.00

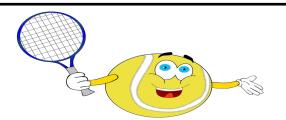
Dates: April 10-May 18

Time: Mondays & Thursdays 5:00-6:30pm

Ages: Grades 6-8

Where: Campbell Park Tennis Courts

Register by: April 10th



KIDS NIGHT OUT SERIES TERRIFIC TUESDAY

Make this a Tuesday to remember by joining us for some terrific games and activities that will set it apart from all other Tuesdays.

Fees: Residents \$10.00 Non Res.: \$20.00

Date: Tuesday, April 18 Time: 7:00-8:30pm

Where: Baraboo Civic Center Gymnasium

Ages: 1st-5th Grades Register by: April 12th





The Baraboo Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department has recognized the value of social media for information distribution.

We have a page on Facebook and will be using it as a tool to distribute information such as program status updates, last minute details, exciting news and other important things you need to know. Like us at Baraboo Parks. Also follow our zoo Facebook page at Ochsner Park Zoo for detailed event information.

OUTDOOR SWIMMING POOL

The swimming pool is located in Campbell Park on South Boulevard and will be open **June 4 thru August 20, 2023, with a few exceptions.**

- ⇒ The pool will only be open 6:30-8:30pm Monday, June 5 thru Thursday, June 8 due to Baraboo School District schools still being in session. Regular hours will begin on Friday, June 9.
- ⇒ No evening (6:30-8:30pm) open swim session on Tuesday, July 4 & Monday, July 31.

Further Information can be obtained by calling the pool at 355-2764 beginning June 4th.

During poor weather, call the pool directly for operation status but weather cancellations will also be posted on our website & Facebook page.

Pool Schedule

Adult Lap Swim

Monday thru Friday

11:00am - 12:30pm & 5:15-6:30pm

Open Swim

Monday thru Friday 1:00pm-5:00pm 6:30pm-8:30pm Saturday & Sunday 1pm-7pm

Adult Fitness Classes

Monday thru Thursday 5:15-6:30pm

Sundays at the pool are Family Fun Day!

The pool will be open from 1:00-7:00pm. Bring your pool noodles, floaties, & toys for some fun with the whole family for the entire afternoon at the pool. All children (ages 17 and under) visiting the pool on Sundays must be accompanied by someone ages 18 or older



Afternoon Open Swim Age Rules

Children ages 8 and under must be supervised at all times by someone age 14 or older. Those ages 14-17 cannot be responsible for more than 2 children. Any children that are non-swimmers or swimmers requiring use of a lifejacket must be within arm reach of their supervisor. Children ages 9-13 who can swim and don't require use of a lifejacket can visit with another swimmer ages 9 or older.

Evening Open Swim Age Rules

Those with season pool passes will be able to follow the same age rules in the evenings (6:30-8:30pm) as listed for the afternoon open swim times. Kids ages 13 & under paying the daily admission fee must be accompanied by a parent or guardian ages 18 or older during the evening open swim hours.

For Information on Adult Water Aerobics & Aqua Zumba classes for this summer see page 12-13

Season Pool Passes

Season Pool Passes MUST be purchased online or in person at the Civic Center during regular business hours
They will not be sold at the Pool!

Season Pool Pass Fees	Individual Pass	Family* Pass
City Resident	\$55	\$115*
Non Resident	\$75	\$145*

*Family passes include up to 6 people <u>living at</u> the same address. There is an additional \$25



2023 Swimming Lesson Status

Due to an ongoing lack of certified Water Safety Instructors, Campbell Park Outdoor Pool will not be able to offer swimming lessons during the 2023 Summer season. We apologize for the inconvenience & encourage you to contact Jack Young Middle School Indoor Pool & other area swimming pools for available swimming lesson opportunities.

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Pool Rental Info

The Campbell Park Outdoor Pool is available to rent for private parties

Saturdays & Sundays: 11:00 am - 12:30 pm*

(*Except when a home swim meet is scheduled)

Rental fee: \$150, includes up to 3 lifeguards (depending on party size)

A minimum 7 day notice is needed for all rentals.

No glass bottles, alcoholic beverages, smoking or animals are allowed in the pool area during private parties. Contact the pool office for a complete list of rules.

All rentals must be made through the swimming pool office. Hours are Monday-Friday 11am-8:30pm as well as weekends 1-7pm.

Meet Me A^t The

BARABOO CIVIC CENTER

Have your next meeting, birthday party or special event at the Civic Center. Weekday rental rates are as indicated below (closed holidays). Weekend rentals are available for an additional \$25 per hour. (2 hr. minimum)

Hourly Rates	Non-Profit	Profit		
Small Meeting Room	\$15.00	\$20.00		
Large Meeting Room	\$20.00	\$25.00		
Gym	\$30.00	\$35.00		
Warming Kitchen	\$10.00	\$15.00		

The Civic Center has undergone several improvements to provide an affordable option for groups of 2 to 200!

Our meeting rooms are ready to accommodate a variety of functions. All rooms are equipped with white-boards and audio visual equipment. Wi-Fi is also available. The provided tables and chairs will be set-up for you upon your arrival.

We also have available:

□ TV/DVD player □ Podium w/ Mic □ Projection screens
□ Easels □ Coffee Pots □ LCD Projector

Our Gymnasium has hosted Basketball, volleyball, large meetings, meals, dances, parties etc. plus an additional 1,106 sq ft carpeted lounge area with an adjacent warming kitchen is available for serving meals.

Contact us today for more information!

REFUND POLICY

Civic Center / Park Shelter Rentals -

In case of cancellations, we will make every effort to help you reschedule your function, as necessary. Refunds of 50% of the fee paid will be issued only when cancellations are received at least 7 days prior to your function in writing. No refunds will be given within the 7 day timeframe. No Refunds due to weather.

Recreation Programs -

Prior to the registration deadline of any program, refunds will be issued as a credit to your household account for future use on any Parks & Recreation transaction. If a refund check is requested, 100% of fees paid minus a \$5 service fee will be issued. No Refunds will be issued after the Program Registration Deadline.

Fitness Center & Pool Passes -

No Refunds will be issued for Pool passes or Fitness Memberships

CIVIC CENTER FITNESS ROOMS

Interested in improving or just maintaining your fitness level?

The Civic Center Fitness Rooms have all you need to start or continue a fitness program.

The Weight Room is equipped with free weights & machines for both novice & experienced lifters.

The Cardiovascular Room is furnished with aerobic equipment including treadmills, elliptical cross trainers, stair climbers & recumbent bicycles as well as various circuit weight training equipment.





The Fitness Room hours are Monday thru Friday 7am – 9pm

Fees:	Resident	Non-Resident			
Daily	\$5	\$5			
1 Month	\$25*	\$30*			
6 Month	\$100*	\$125*			

*Senior Citizens & High School Students receive a \$5 per month discount

or

\$25 per 6 months discount on these rates.

Both rooms have air conditioning, and the cardiovascular room has a TV. Lockers and showers are available for members.

Memberships can be purchased during regular business hours M-F 7:30am-4:30pm in Room 17 or by using the After Hours payment envelopes located in each of the rooms.



Program cancellations due to weather are posted as soon as possible on our Facebook page @BarabooParks and on our website at

www.cityofbaraboo.com/parksandrecreation

Look for the "Recreation Newsflash" on the right side of the screen. (only visible when there are cancellations)



The 3-mile paved Riverwalk follows the Baraboo River as it winds through the City. Several dog waste stations and benches are located along the route and many scenic overlooks of the river are available. The Riverwalk remains a popular place for residents and visitors to walk, jog, ride bike and enjoy nature, and is part of the national Ice Age Scenic Trail which connects to other Wisconsin communities, parks and natural areas. The City of Baraboo was named a National Ice Age Trail Community in 2023. Come explore the trail with

The Riverwalk starts just west of Ochsner Park at 8th Street & ends at Maxwell-Potter Conservancy on Hill Street at the arboretum.

> Please pick up after your pet & keep this treasure clean

Friends of Baraboo Parks

The Friends of Baraboo Parks is a 501c3 Nonprofit organization that works with the Parks, Recreation and Forestry Department to raise funds and awareness for various City parks.

Some recent projects the group has raised money for has included the new playground equipment (fitness course) in Lower Ochsner Park and the Splashpad in Attridge Park, coming in 2024. Other projects currently considered and discussed in partnership with the Department include Skatepark renovations at Campbell Park, new agility course equipment at the Liston Dog Park, bike and hiking trails at Keramani Park and other future playground renovations and additions throughout the City.

Find more information and donate to help our parks grow at www.friendsofbarabooparks.org



FORESTRY

The Parks, Recreation and Forestry Department is charged with managing Baraboo's Urban Forest, which consists of over 7,000 street & park trees. If vou have a tree on your treebank that needs pruning or removal, contact us.



The City of Baraboo has been a Tree City USA community for 30 years and a Tree Growth Award recipient in 2014, 2015, 2016 & 2017 . We will be celebrating Arbor Day with students from several local elementary schools in late April with a special tree planting.

Follow us on Facebook @Baraboo Parks for more in-



PICNIC SHELTER RENTALS

Planning a party, family reunion etc. and need a place to fit everyone? The City of Baraboo Parks have picnic shelters to accommodate your needs. Reservations with payment are accepted up to 1 full year in advance of the current day's date. All rental requests must be made at the Baraboo Civic Center. Some of our most popular shelters available for rent are:

- **Ochsner Park** (3 shelters available)
- **Maxwell Potter Conservancy**
- Langer Park
- **Steinhorst Park**
- **City View Park**
- Pierce Park

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Mary Rountree Park

For more details including fees, visit our website at www.cityofbaraboo.com/parksandrecreation under the City Parks section

Cancellation Policy: If a reservation is canceled, in writing, at least 7 days in advance, a 50% refund of the shelter fee will be given. We will make every effort to reschedule your event. No refunds for cancellations due to For those who do not wish to purchase a season pass:

The single use admission fee is \$5.00 which can be paid at the pool by cash or check w/ ID.

Friends of Baraboo Parks **Summer Kick Off Pool Party**

Saturday, June 3rd 11am-3pm \$5/person

Join Friends of Baraboo Parks in celebrating the start of the summer pool season while raising funds for the Splashpad project and Dog Park Improvements.

For complete details visit their Facebook page @FriendsofBarabooParks or their website www.friendsofbarabooparks.org

Lifeguard **Appreciation Day**

Monday, July 31 we will celebrate International Lifeguard Appreciation Day. Enjoy special lifequard-themed activities throughout the afternoon open swim time

Campbell Park Outdoor Pool will close at 5:00pm for a party for our pool staff.

Family National Tennis Month Celebration

MAY IS NATIONAL TENNIS MONTH. Join USTA Wisconsin & Baraboo Parks, Recreation, & Forestry Department staff at Campbell Park on Wednesday, May 3rd, 2:30 -4:30pm. Bring the whole family. Coaches will lead skill practice and games. There will be something for everyone. Equipment will be provided.

It's FREE! It's FUN!

Date: Wednesday, May 3 Time: 2:30-4:30pm

Where: Campbell Park Tennis Courts

Ages: All Ages

YOUTH TENNIS LESSONS

Thanks to the United States Tennis Association (USTA) we have been able to provide excellent teaching sessions for the vouth of the community for many seasons. Our coaches are trained by the USTA to provide your child with an excellent curriculum to learn the game and have fun doing so! All grades based on the 2023-2024 school

Registration Minimum: 8 Maximum: 16

Grades 1-3

Fees: Residents - \$40

Non-Residents - \$50

Location: Kuenzi Tennis Courts @ Campbell Park

Days: Tuesdays & Thursdays 5:30-6:30pm Times:

Session 1: June 15th - July 13th *No Lessons July 4th

Registration Deadline: June 12th

Session 2: July 18th - August 10th Registration Deadline: July 13th

Grades 4 & 5

Fees: Residents - \$40

Non-Residents - \$50

Location: Campbell Park Tennis Courts

Davs: Tuesdavs & Thursdavs Session 1: June 15th - July 13th No Lessons July 4th

Times: 9:30-10:30AM

Registration Deadline: June 12th

Session 2: July 18th - August 10th **Times:** 5:30-6:30pm

Registration Deadline: July 13th

Grades 6-8

Fees: Residents - \$40 Non-Residents - \$50

Location: Campbell Park Tennis Courts

Days: Mondays & Wednesdays

Times: 9:30 - 11:00AM

Session 1: June 14th - July 12th No Lessons July 3rd

Registration Deadline: June 7th

Session 2: July 17th - August 9th Registration Deadline: July 13th

Grades 9-12

Fees: Residents - \$40

Non-Residents - \$50

Location: Campbell Park Tennis Courts

Days: Tuesdays & Thursdays June 15th - July 13th

No Lessons July 4th

Times: 5:00-6:30pm Registration Deadline: June 12th



SUMMER FUN CAMPS

SUMMER TOT LOT

Sponsored by: Baraboo Optimists Club

Activities will include arts & crafts, singing, storytelling, free play time and walks. Families may sign up for one or all sessions. Space in each class is limited.

Ages: 3-5 years old

(must be 3 and bathroom-trained before the first session day)

Fees: Residents - \$40 Non-Residents - \$50

Location: Ochsner Park Main Shelter

Registration Minimum: 8 Maximum: 14 per session

Session I: June 12th – 28th

Monday & Wednesday 9:30-11:30am

Registration Deadline: June 5th

Session II: June 13th - 29th

Tuesday & Thursday 9:30-11:30am Registration Deadline: June 5th

Session III: July 10th - 26th

Monday & Wednesday 9:30-11:30am

Registration Deadline: July 3rd

Session IV: July 11th – 27th

Tuesday & Thursday 9:30-11:30am

Registration Deadline: July 3rd

ART IN THE PARK

Spark your child's creative side. Enjoy a new project theme each week. We'll have art projects of many varieties for your little one to create and take home.

Creativity promotes self-esteem, problem solving and confidence, so join us for some art in the park.

Ages: 3-5

Fee: Residents \$25 Non-Resident \$35

Locations:

Week 1: Langer Park Shelter Week 2: City View Park

Week 3: Ochsner Park Main Shelter

Locations subject to change due to weather/park conditions Meets: Fridays July 14th - July 28th 10:00-11:30AM

Registration Deadline: July 7th



TOT SPORTS SAMPLER

Learn and try the vary basics of sports. Each week will have a focus on a different sport. Week 1 will be soccer, week 2 will be basketball, week 3 will be football, and week 4 will be baseball/t-ball. Each participant should have a "sports buddy" to help them with the activities. The buddy can be a parent, guardian, grandparent, or older sibling.

Ages: 3 & 4

Meets: Fridays, June 16th-July 7th 1:00-1:45pm

Where: Langer Park

Fees: Resident: \$25 Non-Resident: \$35

Registration Deadline: June 9

YOU & ME DAYS

One day events where preschool to kindergartenaged kids, in the 2023/24 school year, can bring their parents, guardians, or grandparents out for fun games and activities in our beautiful parks. Fees: \$10 Resident \$20 Non-Resident

PARK CANDYLAND

We're taking this classic childhood game & making it HUGE! You will be the game piece and will move around the game encountering the classic Candyland objects.

Date: Monday, June 26 **Time:** 12:00-1:00pm Ages: Pre K-K

Where: City View Park Registration Deadline: June 19



TEDDY BEAR PICNIC

Join us for a picnic in the park with your favorite plush creature. Enjoy a bear hunt and other games and end with a picnic of snacks for you and your bear. It will be a "beary" fun time.

Date: Monday, July 10 **Time:** 12:00-1:00pm Ages: Pre K-K Where: City View Park Registration Deadline: July 5



WACKY WATER / MESSY MUD

This is all about what kids love...getting wet and being dirty. This event will have water and mud related games and activities. Participants and their adults should wear clothes that they do not mind getting dirty, and it is recommended to bring a change of clothes for after the event.

Date: Monday, August 7 **Time:** 12:00-1:00pm

Ages: Pre K-K Where: Langer Park **Registration Deadline:**

July 31







The Ochsner Park Zoo is a USDAlicensed facility, open year-round and managed by the Parks, Recreation and Forestry Department. Spring & Fall hours are 9am-5pm. Summer hours are from 9am-6pm. No admission is charged, however donations are always appreciated. Many special events and opportunities to interact with docents and staff are available daily.

The Zoo features Wolves, Llama, Miniature Donkey, Black Bear, Canada Lynx, Beaver, River Otters, Arctic Fox, Prairie Dogs, Emu. Dwarf Goats, Pot-Bellied Pigs, Great Horned Owls, Snowy Owls, Chickens, Barred Owls, White Tail Deer, Opossum, Sandhill Cranes, Sulcotta & Russian Tortoises, Snakes, Skunk, Swan, Geese & Ducks.

KEEPER CHATS

Daily at Noon, 2pm & 4pm Memorial Day thru Labor Day At various locations throughout the zoo

DOCENT CART TALKS

Check the info kiosk at the zoo entrance for these regularly scheduled presentations from our volunteer zoo docents

Love Ochsner Park Zoo?

If you are interested in getting involved with the zoo, come be a volunteer or a docent! Contact parkrec@cityofbaraboo.com for more information

Bring your smartphones and scan QR codes at each exhibit to learn more about our animals!

Make your visit fun and educational



Scan each QR code with your phone's camera to learn more about the animals at the Z00.





Scan the Welcome QR code to get started.

Events at the Zoo

World Otter Day

Wednesday, May 31st 2-4pm

Join us in a collaborative event with the Carnegie Schadde Memorial Public Library.

Watch for updates and more information coming soon on Facebook at Baraboo Parks or Carnegie Schadde Memorial Public Library

38th Annual Zoo Crew Day

Presented by Friends of the Baraboo Zoo

Saturday, June 3rd & Sunday, June 4th

Don't miss the battle of the bands, food vendors. crafters, entertainment and lots of fun at the zoo!

More details to come...

Watch for exciting updates by following both the Friends of the Baraboo Zoo and the Baraboo Parks Facebook pages!

Party Like an Animal

Saturday, July 29th

Don't miss this fun event for animal antics & education at the Ochsner Park Zoo

For more Info and updates, make sure to follow Ochsner Park Zoo on Facebook!

More event info coming soon from Friends of the Baraboo Zoo on the following events...

Pancakes in the Park (June 18)

Donuts & Donkeys (July 1)

Sundae in the Park (July) Zoo-Bilation Kids Gala (August 20)

Fish Fry in the Park (September 8)

The Friends of the Baraboo Zoo works with the Parks, Recreation and Forestry Department to raise funds and awareness for the Zoo, and has helped to raise over \$1 million in donations for the Zoo over the past 30 years

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BARABOO DOG PARK

The Dog Park, located in Maxwell-Potter Conservancy at the intersection of Mill Race Drive and Hill Street, features a 2acre fenced in off-leash exercise area for dogs. . The park offers a separate area for puppies and small dogs, benches and opportunities to socialize. There's also an ADA water fountain with dog bowl available for users.

Please be sure to clean up after your pets!

Permits are valid Jan. 1-Dec. 31. Annual permits are available at the City Hall, at 101 South Blvd. or online at www.cityofbaraboo.com

Resident Annual Permit = \$25 per dog Non-Resident Annual Permit = \$35 per dog Daily Permit = \$3 per dog

Daily permits are required if you do not hold an annual permit. Daily permit fees can be paid at the dog park's self registration station located near the front entrance.



Park Regulations Notes:

Recently, the City of Baraboo made some changes to park regulations that you need to be aware of. These changes were made to improve the atmosphere of our parks and the safety of our visitors. Some of those changes include:

NO SMOKING OR VAPING

Smoking and vaping are not allowed in any parks or park facilities including the Civic Center, zoo and the Riverwalk.

NO ALCOHOL IN THE FOLLOWING PARKS:

Campbell, Myron, Nanny, Liston Dog Park, Hacket Hollow Conservancy or anywhere on the Riverwalk. Beer and wine are allowed (no glass) in all other parks when responsibly consumed in accordance with state and local laws and ordinances.

NO DOGS IN PARKS

Dogs are only allowed off-leash in Liston Dog Park and Deppe Park. They are allowed on the Riverwalk if on a leash. Dogs are not permitted on the Arboretum Path or other parks.

For a complete list of Park Regulations, please read Chapter 19 of the Baraboo Code of Ordinances on our website.

BARABOO COMMUNITY GARDENS

Located in Attridge Park on 2nd Avenue near the zoo, the Community Gardens offers garden plots to community residents. Garden plot rentals are good from May 1 - October 31 and include shared use of garden tools, and water (with hoses available).

Garden Plots are available on a first come-first served basis with a limit of 2 plots per address.

Reservations for the upcoming season begin on April 1st. Costs to reserve plots are:

	City of Baraboo Resident	Non-Resident (out of City limits)
Ground Plot	\$25.00	\$35.00
Raised Plot	\$25.00	\$35.00

Free Master Gardener Garden Talks

Sauk County Master Gardeners will be hosting FREE garden talks throughout the summer for all interested community members! No registration is required, simply visit the Baraboo Community Gardens -as listed below, to learn about these great topics:

Saturdays 9:00-10:00AM

June 17 Planting Potatoes on Top of the Ground

Pest Management & Companion Planting

Square Foot Gardening

August 26 Tomato Diseases



Terrific Tomatoes Events

presented by the

Sauk County Master Gardeners Association

Saturday, May 20th 10:00am-Noon

Rm 12/14 @ Baraboo Civic Center "Staking vs Non-Staking of Tomato Plants" Tomato Class & Plant Sale

Saturday, August 26th 10:00am-Noon

Baraboo Civic Center Gym **Terrific Tomatoes Tasting Event** For more information, see the

Sauk County Master Gardeners Association Facebook Page

MER FUN

One day events that encourage kids in Grades 1 - 6 to get outside and have fun this summer. Grades are based on what grade the participant will be in during the 2023/24 school year.

Fees: \$10 Residents \$20 Non-Resident

KICKOFF TO SUMMER

An afternoon of traditional games and activities that Dirt, mud, paint and more! This event will feature represent summer. Types of activities will include tag games and activities that encourage participants to games, relay races, kickball, and much more!

Date: Friday, June 9 **Time:** 1:30-3:00pm Where: Langer Park

Registration Deadline: June 5

MESSY MONDAY

make a mess! Participants should wear clothes that they do not mind getting dirty.

Date: Monday, July 17 **Time:** 1:30-3:00pm Where: Langer Park

Registration Deadline: July 10



ALL ABOUT BICYCLES

A fun event to help participants learn more about their bicycle and bicycle safety. Participants will take part in a bicycle safety course and other lessons, games, and activities that celebrate the bicycle.

All participants must bring their own bicycle and THEIR OWN HELMET

Date: Monday, June 19 **Time:** 1:30-3:00pm

Where: Mary Rountree Evans Park Registration Deadline: June 12



SUMMER SNOW DAY

We're bringing snow games to the summer at this fun event. Participants will take part in winter themed games and activities to help you cool off!

Date: Monday, July 31 **Time:** 1:30-3:00pm Where: Langer Park

Registration Deadline: July 24



AUGUST ADVENTURES

Scavenger hunts, hiking, and exploration. During this fun event, we will be taking part in all kinds of outdoor adventures! Participants should wear comfortable shoes for walking/hiking that they don't mind getting dirty.

Date: Monday, August 14 **Time:** 1:30-3:00pm

Where: Maxwell-Potter Conservancy Registration Deadline: August 7





"KIDS ON STAGE"

Stage 3 Theatre For Youth Summer Drama Camp

This is an opportunity to be on a real stage and learn movement, voice, and theatre skills through a variety of activities and games. The camp includes Story Theatre, Reader's Theater and performing a short play with costumes and props which we will perform on the final day.

No experience necessary to join in the fun!

Everyone participates and gets a part in the final show.

Ages 7-14 - All experience levels welcome

Program meets: June 12th-22nd Monday - Thursday 1:30-4:30pm

Performance on Stage at 5:00pm on the last day.

Civic Center Third Floor in the Stage 3 Little Theatre

Fees: \$60 Resident / \$70 Non-Resident

Registration Deadline: June 5th

Space is limited. Minimum 15 maximum 30.



Show Time Youth Musical Theatre Workshop

Sponsored by Baraboo Theatre Guild and the Creative Alliance of Baraboo (CAB) Theatre, participants will have the opportunity to learn and perform a variety of theatre, voice and movement skills. This workshop will culminate in a free public staged musical performance in which every youth participant, no matter what age or experience, will have a speaking and singing roll. In addition to rehearsing for the final production, during the workshop we will play lots of theatre games and learn a wide range of theatre, voice and movement skills. And, we will have a TON of fun!!

Katie James, UWP-B/SC Glee Club Director & Lead Instructors include:

Scott Rawson, CAB Theatre's Play in a Weekend Director.

Ages: 7 - 14 years

Location: Civic Center Rooms 12/14 & 11

Program Meets: July 31st - August 10th, Mondays - Thursdays 2:30-5:00pm

Fees: Residents: \$60 / Non-Residents: \$70 Registration Deadline: Monday, July 11th

Final performances will be at 5:00 pm on Thursday, August 10th at R. G. Brown Theatre

Sign up soon - enrollment is limited! Registration Minimum: 20 Maximum: 30

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FOR THE BIG KIDS TOO!



ADULT WATER AEROBICS

This program is specifically designed for adults utilizing water resistance to make exercise easier on the joints. Led by Anna Marie School.

Ages: 18 years and older

Minimum: 8 Maximum: 32 per session Location: Campbell Park Swimming Pool Times: Mon, Tues & Thurs 5:30-6:15pm

Session I: June 12 – July 13

No Class on Tuesday, 7/4

Fees: Residents - \$35 Non-Residents - \$45

Registration Deadline: June 5th

Session II: July 17 – August 17

Fees: Residents - \$35 Non-Residents - \$45

Registration Deadline: July 10th



SENIOR FITNESS PROGRAM

This exercise program is specifically designed for older adults. The program meets three times a week stressing one of the following fitness focuses: Stretching, Balance, Strength, Floor, & Aerobics. Participants are encouraged to exercise at their own pace. There are two class times available

Ages: 55 years old and older

Location: Civic Center Gymnasium Meets: Monday, Wednesday, & Friday

9:30am-10:00am **OR** 10:00am-10:30am. Choose one class to attend per day

Fees Per Session: \$15 per session Resident \$20 per session Non-Resident

Now - May 27th

Winter Session: Summer Session: June 1st - September 2nd

Fall Session: September 7th - December 21st

ADULT AQUA ZUMBA

Water Resistance Training meets Pool Party with music from around the world! Taught by Erika Gerhardt Obois, licensed Agua Zumba instructor.

Ages: 12 years old and older

Minimum: 10 Maximum: 32 per session Fees: (Per Session) Residents: \$35

Non-Residents: \$45

Location: Campbell Park Swimming Pool Times: Wednesdays 5:30pm-6:15pm

Session I: June 14th - July 12th

Registration Deadline: June 7th

Session II: July 19th August 16th Registration Deadline July 13th

PAINT WITH YOUR PUP

Dogs and owners will work together to make fun artwork. Each dog owner will be given a small canvas, paint, brushes, a plastic bag, and sunflower butter. Owners will put paint colors of their choosing on the canvas and then slide the canvas into a plastic bag and zip it closed. Sunflower butter will be put on the outside of the bag for the dog to lick clean. No more than one dog per handler. Dog handlers must be at least 16 years of age.

> Session 1: Friday, May 12th Registration Deadline: May 11th

Session 2 Friday, August 4th Registration Deadline: August 3rd

Time: 6:30-7:00pm Where: Deppe Park

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Fees: (per session) Resident: \$10 Non-Res.: \$20 All participants must adhere to all event guidelines



ADULT PROGRAMMING

INTRO TO PICKLEBALL CLINIC

This clinic aims to introduce you to the game of pickleball. Participants will be introduced to terminology, rules, and basic skills of the game. Participants will then be able to try out what they learn in a short, recreational league.

Dates: June 5-26

Time: Mondays; 5:30-6:30pm

Ages: 18+

Where: Campbell Park Kuenzi Courts Fees: Resident: \$25 Non-Resident: \$35 Registration Deadline June 1st



ADULT SAND VOLLEYBALL LEAGUES

Leagues offered - Power, B (Mid level) & C (Rec

level) as registration number allow **Ages:** 15 years and older

Fees: \$160/team for new teams \$140/team for returning 2022 teams

Location: Attridge Park

Dates: Wednesday evenings Starting May 31st start times depend on registration numbers—schedules will be sent out the week of May 22nd Registration Deadline: 4:30pm May 15th Managers' meeting will be done via email on Wednesday, May 15





ADULT TENNIS LESSONS

Open to men & women of all skill levels-a great way to stay fit, meet people with similar interests, and brush up or start your tennis game!

Ages: 18 years & Up- Must be out of high

school Fees:

Fees: City Residents - \$40 Non-residents -

\$50

Time: Tuesdays & Thursdays 6:30-7:30pm

Dates: July 18th—August 10th **Location:** Campbell Park courts



12" SLOW PITCH SOFTBALL LEAGUE

This program will feature league play on Tuesday evenings. Games will be played throughout the summer. The league will use a 12" slow-pitch softhall

Dates: Games start May 30

Times: Tuesdays; The exact start times will depend on the number of teams registered. Schedules will be sent out the week of May 22.

*No games on Tuesday, July 4 Where: Pierce Park

Team Fee: \$400

Managers' meeting will be done via email the

week of May 22.

Registration Deadline: May 22 by 4:30pm

Referees / Umpires & Scorekeepers Needed!

Love the sport but can't participate anymore?



Stay in the game while getting paid! We are always looking for adult league referees, umpires & scorekeepers. To apply, visit: www.cityofbaraboo.com and click the **apply** link under announcements.



OCHSNER PARK ZOOKEEPER CAMPS

Participants must be the age listed by the start date of the program!

All Camp Levels Fees:

City of Baraboo Resident \$35 Non-Resident \$45



Beginner Zookeeper Camps (Max 8)

Learn what it's like to be a Zookeeper. Camp participants get first hand experience with some of our "beginner animals." Learn what it takes to feed, clean, enrich, and more!

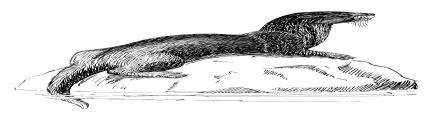
Ages 8-10: June 12th - 15th 10am-Noon Registration Deadline: June 5th Ages 11-13: June 26th - 29th 10am-Noon Registration Deadline: June 19th

Advanced Zookeeper Camps *(Max 8)



Working with animals can be challenging. Participants will learn what it's like first hand to be a Zookeeper. During this camp, we care for some of our more "advanced animals."

Ages 8-10: July 10th -13th 10am-Noon Registration Deadline: July 3rd Ages 11-13: July 24th - 27th 10am-Noon Registration Deadline: July 17th * registration in advanced zookeeper camps requires previous attendance at a Beginner Camp



ENRICHMENT & TRAINING CAMP (Max 10)

Zookeeper Beginner & Advanced Zookeeper Campers, are invited to come back for some fun! The focus of this camp is to dive deeper into enrichment and its importance at zoos. You'll learn, build, and watch the animals interact with enrichment YOU create! We will also learn some basics of training animals. Then test your new skills on actual zoo animals! Put your creative caps on and keep the Ochsner Park Zoo animals busy.

Ages 10 & Up: Aug 7th - 10th 10am-Noon Registration Deadline: July 31st

MUST HAVE PARTICIPATED IN BOTH OUR ZOO KEEPER BEGINNER & ADVANCED CAMP PREVIOUSLY





